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## Anchorage to Host Shellfish Aquaculture Conference December 3 – 4

(Anchorage) – A detailed look at business opportunities and policy considerations for shellfish farming, shellfish enhancement, and related initiatives will be the focus of the conference being held at the Anchorage Hilton Hotel on December 3 – 4, 2004.

This conference is designed for:

- Potential shellfish farmers
- Current shellfish farmers
- Legislators
- Federal and state policy makers
- Economic developers
- Shellfish farming vendors

Participation is limited to the first 250. Cost is \$15 in advance (registration and payment must be received by November 30, 2004) or at the door for \$25.

For more information contact Glenn Haight, Fisheries Development Specialist at (907) 465-5464, or go to <a href="http://www.commerce.state.ak.us/oed/seafood/conference.htm">http://www.commerce.state.ak.us/oed/seafood/conference.htm</a>

What: Shellfish Aquaculture Conference

When: December 3 - 4, 2004

Where: Anchorage Hilton Hotel

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